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PROGRAMME OF MEETINGS AND AGENDA

SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Tuesday, 8 May 2001

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Fifty-fifth session

Committees

FIFTH COMMITTEE
(Resumed second part)

10 a.m.-1 p.m. informal consultations (closed meeting) Conference Room 6

Informal consultations on agenda items 126 (Report of the Secretary-General on the activities of the Office of Internal Oversight Services (A/51/432, A/51/530 and Corr.1, A/51/801, A/52/426, A/52/464, A/53/428, A/54/393, A/55/436, A/55/469, A/C.5/55/23 and A/55/826 and Corr.1)) and 116 (Review of the efficiency of the administrative and financial functioning of the United Nations: Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the inspection of the consolidation of technical support services in the Department of General Assembly Affairs and Conference Services (A/55/803))

3 p.m. 59th meeting Conference Room 3

1. Review of the efficiency of the administrative and financial functioning of the United Nations [116]

   Human resources management [123] (A/55/798 and Add.1)

2. Financing of the United Nations Angola Verification Mission and the United Nations Observer Mission in Angola [129] (A/55/844 and Corr.1 and A/55/879)

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3. Financing of the activities arising from Security Council resolution 687 (1991) [130]

   (a) United Nations Iraq-Kuwait Observation Mission (A/55/810, A/55/811 and A/55/874 and Add.2)

4. Financing of the United Nations Mission in Sierra Leone [132] (A/55/853, A/55/869, A/55/735 and A/55/874)

5. Financing of the United Nations Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo [133] (A/55/724, A/55/833, A/55/697 and A/55/874 and Add.6)

6. Financing of the United Nations Mission for the Referendum in Western Sahara [135] (A/55/764, A/55/794 and A/55/874 and Add.7)

7. Financing of the United Nations Mission of Observers in Tajikistan [136] (A/55/816 and Corr.1 and A/55/880)

8. Financing of the United Nations Preventive Deployment Force [137] (A/55/390 and A/55/870)

9. Financing of the United Nations peacekeeping forces in the Middle East [138]

   (a) United Nations Disengagement Observer Force (A/55/747, A/55/778, A/55/874 and Add.1)

   (b) United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon (A/55/757, A/55/874 and A/55/885)

10. Financing of the United Nations Protection Force, the United Nations Confidence Restoration Operation in Croatia, the United Nations Preventive Deployment Force and the United Nations Peace Forces headquarters [140] (A/55/840 and A/55/886)

11. Financing of the United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus [143] (A/55/739, A/55/788 and A/55/874 and Add.3)

12. Financing of the United Nations Observer Mission in Georgia [144] (A/55/682, A/55/768 and A/55/874 and Add.4)

13. Financing of the United Nations Mission in Bosnia and Herzegovina [148] (A/55/683, A/55/752 and A/55/874 and Add.5)

14. Financing of the United Nations Support Mission in Haiti, the United Nations Transition Mission in Haiti and the United Nations Civilian Police Mission in Haiti [150] (A/55/753, A/55/667 and A/55/881)

15. Financing of the United Nations Mission in the Central African Republic [152] (A/55/849 and A/55/884)

16. Financing of the United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea [176] (A/55/874)

17. Administrative and budgetary aspects of the financing of the United Nations peacekeeping operations [153] (A/55/812, A/55/735, A/55/828, A/55/697, A/C.5/55/40 and Corr.1, A/55/883, A/55/714, A/55/830, A/55/874/Add.8, A/55/861, A/55/862, A/55/882, A/55/845 and A/55/874)

Conclusion of general discussion

FORTHCOMING MEETINGS

Wednesday, 9 May 2001

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Fifty-fifth session

Committees

FIFTH COMMITTEE
(Resumed second part)

10 a.m.	60th meeting	Conference Room 3
Morning*	informal consultations (closed meeting)	Conference Room 6
3 p.m.	informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 6

* Following the adjournment of the 60th meeting of the Fifth Committee.

SUMMARY OF MEETINGS

Monday, 7 May 2001

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Fifty-fifth session

Committees

FIFTH COMMITTEE
(Resumed second part) 58th meeting

Organization of work

The Chairman of the Committee drew the attention of the Committee to a note by the Secretariat on the status of preparedness of documentation (A/C.5/55/L.59) and to a note by the Bureau on the proposed programme of work for the second resumed session (A/C.5/55/L.60). The Committee approved the programme of work for the week of 7-11 May 2001 on the understanding that the programme would be adjusted in the course of the session, as required.

The representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran (on behalf of the Group of 77 and China) made a statement.

Financial reports and audited financial statements, and reports of the Board of Auditors [115]

The Committee resumed its consideration of this agenda item.

The Director of External Audit of the Republic of South Africa, introduced on behalf of the Chairman of the Board of Auditors, the report of the Board of Auditors (A/55/5 Vol.II).

The Chief of the Office of the Under-Secretary-General for Management introduced the report of the Secretary-General (A/55/380/Add.2).

The Chairman of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions introduced the related report of that Committee (A/55/878).

The representative of the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya made a statement.

The Director of External Audit, the Chairman of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions, the Director of the Accounts Division and the Director of the Peacekeeping Financing Division replied to a question raised.

Financing of the United Nations Angola Verification Mission and the United Nations Observer Mission in Angola [129]

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Administrative and budgetary aspects of the financing of the United Nations peacekeeping operations [153]

(a) *Financing of the United Nations peacekeeping operations*

The Committee began its consideration of these agenda items.

The Controller made a statement and introduced the reports of the Secretary-General (A/55/844 and Corr.1, A/55/810, A/55/811, A/55/853, A/55/764, A/55/794, A/55/816 and Corr.1, A/55/390, A/55/747, A/55/778, A/55/757, A/55/840, A/55/739, A/55/788, A/55/682, A/55/768, A/55/683, A/55/752, A/55/753, A/55/667, A/55/849, A/55/697, A/C.5/55/40 and Corr.1, A/55/714, A/55/830, A/55/861, A/55/862 and A/55/845).

The Chairman of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions introduced the related reports of that Committee (A/55/874 and Adds.1-8, A/55/879, A/55/869, A/55/880, A/55/870, A/55/885, A/55/886, A/55/881, A/55/884, A/55/828, A/55/883 and A/55/882).

The Under-Secretary-General for Internal Oversight Services introduced the report of that Office on the management audit of United Nations civilian police operations (A/55/812) and the report of the Secretary-General on experiences learned from the use of resident auditors (A/55/735).

Statements were made by the representatives of Sweden (on behalf of the European Union and also on behalf of Bulgaria, the Czech Republic, Estonia, Hungary, Latvia, Lithuania, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Cyprus and Malta), Lebanon, the Syrian Arab Republic and the Russian Federation.

The Controller and the Director of the Peacekeeping Financing Division replied to questions raised.

On the proposal of the Chairman, the Committee decided to set 6 p.m. on Monday, 7 May as the deadline for the closure of the list of speakers on these agenda items.

Review of the efficiency of the administrative and financial functioning of the United Nations [116]

Human resources management [123]

The Committee resumed its consideration of these agenda items.

Inspector Francesco Mezzalama of the Joint Inspection Unit introduced the report of the Unit entitled "Young professionals in selected organizations of the United Nations system: recruitment, management and retention" (A/55/798).

The Assistant Secretary-General for Human Resources Management introduced the comments of the Secretary-General thereon (A/55/798/Add.1).

Organization of work

The Chairman made a statement.

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